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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C. Suite 1200, The Candler Building 127 Peachtree Street, N.E. Atlanta, Georgia 30303-1811

May 7, 2001

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the specification and claims of the utility patent application of:

Inventor:

Robert J. Vermillion

Title of Invention:

DISSIPATIVE LAYER SUITABLE FOR USE IN PROTECTIVE

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Also enclosed are:

X	SHEETS OF 7	[] FORMAL DRAWINGS [X] INFORMAL DRAWINGS				
	OATH OR DECLARATION OF APPLICANT(S)					
	A POWER OF ATTORNEY					
	A VERIFIED STATEMENT TO ESTABLISH SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.9 AND §1.27					
	A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$445.00 TO COVER THE FILING FEE.					
Х	THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY ADDITIONAL FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH THE FOLLOWING OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO ACCOUNT NO. 14-0629					
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<del></del>	A computer readable form of the sequence listing in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e). The content of the computer readable form of the sequence listing and the sequence listing in the specification of the application as filed are the same.					



Х	OTHER (IDENTIFY)  X Authorization to Treat Reply Requiring Extension of Time as Incorporating Petition for Extension of Time
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The filing fee is calculated as follows:

## CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT

TOTAL CLAIMS = 30 - 20 = 10 x \$18.00 =	180.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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# AUTHORIZATION TO TREAT REPLY REQUIRING EXTENSION OF TIME AS INCORPORATING PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), the Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in the above-identified application, requiring a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

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